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**BEST
SUMMER
EVER**

YMCA SUMMER CAMP GUIDE 2017
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DAY & SPECIALTY CAMPS

We are committed to providing kids with a fun Y Camp experience. We nurture community, promote the Y's Core Values, and encourage the joy of being active. With a variety of camps to choose from, we offer the opportunity to find a perfect fit for your child this summer.

WHY CHOOSE THE YMCA

QUALITY STAFF

- Qualified staff who are 'Professional Role Models' provide an environment for building friendships, a feeling of accomplishment and a sense of belonging.

YMCA'S CORE VALUES

- Caring: Considerate to the needs of others
- Honesty: Being trustworthy and truthful
- Respect: Treating others, the environment, and yourself, with dignity
- Responsibility: Accepting accountability for your actions and role in the community

A PERFECT FIT FOR YOUR CHILD

CAMPS

- Kindergarten
- 1st Grade
- 2nd Grade
- 3rd Grade
- 4th Grade
- 5th Grade
- 6th/7th Grade (up to 12 years)

CLUBS

- 6th-8th Grade/Triangle Club
- 3rd-7th Grade/Outdoor Adventure Club (North Y only)



SAFE ENVIRONMENT

- Low child/staff ratios based on age
- YMCA Camps are licensed through DEL (exception South Y Camp)
- Staff have passed Department of Early Learning background clearances, and are certified in CPR and First Aid

AFFORDABLE OPTIONS

- Financial assistance available
- State paid accepted with DSHS authorization for camps

WEBSITE

- More information, forms and calendars available at ymcaspokane.org/summercamp

OUR SUMMER CAMP LOCATIONS

- Central Spokane YMCA / 930 N Monroe
Corbin Park / 401 W Waverly Place
June 19 - Aug 30
- North Spokane YMCA
10727 N Newport Hwy
June 19 - Aug 30
- South Spokane YMCA - Located in
Thornton Murphy Park / 3105 E 27th
June 19 - Aug 30
- Spokane Valley YMCA
2421 N Discovery Place
June 19 - Aug 30

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

REGISTRATION IS EASY

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STEP 1: CHOOSE

Select the camp of your choice.
Select the week(s) of your choice.

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STEP 2: COMPLETE

The camp registration form (also available at ymcaspokane.org/summercamp).
All forms including child information and release form.

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STEP 3: ATTACH DEPOSIT OR FULL PAYMENT

Attach \$10 non-transferable & non-refundable deposit per child/per week to reserve their spot OR pay in full. Full payment required the Wednesday prior to camp or deposit will be forfeited. Deposits cannot be made less than 2 weeks in advance.

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STEP 4: MAIL OR DELIVER

All completed forms, required documents and camp deposit, or payment, by mail to YMCA Summer Day Camps, 1126 N Monroe, Spokane, WA 99201 or in person to any YMCA facility.

CAMP SESSIONS, REGISTRATION AND FEE DEADLINES

Wk	Session Dates	Registration, Payment or Cancellation Deadline
1	June 19-23	June 14
2	June 26-30	June 21
3	July 5-7*	June 28
4	July 10-14	July 5
5	July 17-21	July 12
6	July 24-28	July 19
7	July 31-Aug 4	July 26
8	Aug 7-11	Aug 2
9	Aug 14-18	Aug 9
10	Aug 21-25	Aug 16
11	Aug 28-Aug 30**	Aug 23

Space is limited. Register and pay early to secure your spot. Sorry we can not hold spots if not paid in full in advance.

**DID YOU KNOW
Your YMCA
FamilyMembership gives
you great summer camp
discounts!**

*YMCA closed Monday July 3rd & Tuesday July 4th in observance of Independence Day. Daily rates apply or 40% off for Outdoor Adventure Club.

**Closed Aug 31 & Sept 1 for School Age Compliance Training.

Outdoor Adventure Club offered weeks 3-9 at the North YMCA location.

YMCA FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance is available to qualifying families. Applications are available online, at a Y facility or at the Corporate Business Office. Financial Assistance will not apply until after your application is approved. Application can take up to two weeks to process.

CHANGES AND CANCELLATIONS

Written notification for changes or cancellations should be submitted to our Corporate Business Office by Wednesday prior to the session week. Any changes or cancellations will result in a \$10 administrative fee. Please email cancellations to ymca@ymcaspokane.org.

DSHS (or other 3rd Party Agency) PAYMENT & PARENT/GUARDIAN RESPONSIBILITY:

The parent/ guardian is responsible for contacting DSHS and submitting all required forms and information. State assistance is accepted once approval is received by the YMCA with your co-payment (if applicable). Please notify DSHS in advance of which site your child will be attending. If you would like your child to attend before we receive notification from the state, you can pay the full rate and you will receive a credit to your account upon approval. If the 3rd Party authorization ends for any reason the parents/guardians are responsible for what isn't covered. This does not mean your child is cancelled from care, but that you are responsible to pay or cancel the Wednesday prior to the week. **(Triangle Club, Outdoor Adventure Club, and South Y Camp are not licensed programs and are not covered by DSHS.)**

- DSHS does not pay fees for late pick up, late payment, changes or cancellations.
- Failure to pay your bills will result in loss of care and account sent to collections.
- Co-Payments are due with registration and on the 1st of each month.
- \$20 late fee is added if co-payments are not paid in full by the 10th of the month.
- All payments returned as non-payable will be charged a \$20 NSF fee.
- Session Changes and Cancellations are due in writing by Wednesday prior to the session being cancelled or changed.
- If no advanced cancellation, parents will be responsible to cover the cost of days not paid by DSHS due to absences.
- Registrations for the remainder of the summer's Y Programs will be cancelled if there are 5 or more consecutive days of absence without advance notice to cancel and fees will be added.

DSHS PROVIDER NUMBERS:

Please notify DSHS in advance which site your child will be attending and include the site provider number.

	Site Provider #
Central Spokane Y / Corbin Park, 930 N Monroe	276487
North Spokane Y, 10727 N Newport Hwy	500457
Spokane Valley Y, 2421 N Discovery Place	507986

MAIL: YMCA Corporate Business Office
Day Camp
1126 N Monroe St
Spokane, WA 99201

EMAIL: ymca@ymcaspokane.org
or schobot@ymcaspokane.org
FAX: 509 343 4096

DAY CAMPS & CLUBS

A Place for Friendship, Accomplishment, and Belonging

DAY CAMPS

Each week campers will embark on new activities, including weekly field trips, age appropriate activities, and choices including arts & crafts, science and games. Our Professional Role Models will lead the way towards building relationships and long lasting friendships.

Kindergarten

1st Grade

2nd Grade

3rd Grade

4th Grade

5th Grade

6th/7th Grade (up to 12 years)

- Grades entering Fall 2017
- Space is limited by group size, camp capacity and staff/child ratio
- Staff/child ratio per licensing is 1/15. We strive to maintain a 1/10 ratio.
- 6th grade must be 12 years and under and enrolled in 6th grade.

DAY CAMP FEES (including South Y)

Fee Weekly: \$189 Program Member / \$179 Y Family Member

Fee Daily: \$40 Program Member / \$37 Y Family Member

Fee Silverwood Trip: \$30 (Week 9)

Silverwood trip is for 6th and 7th graders and Triangle Club and takes place the week of August 14th. Extra \$30 fee must be paid by Wednesday, August 9th and is not covered by 3rd party assistance.

CLUBS

Our Club Kids will participate in specialized activities designed for skill building and social engagement. Our Professional Role Models will provide opportunities for growth, learning and social skills.

6th–8th Grade/Triangle Club

Entering 6–8* grade fall 2017 maximum group size 15
*must be 12 years or older – this is an unlicensed program

3rd–7th Grade/Adventure Club*

Entering 3rd–6th grade fall 2017 maximum group size 24
*NORTH LOCATION ONLY – this is an unlicensed program

South Y Day Camp

Entering grades 1st–6th – this is an unlicensed program

CLUB FEES

6–8 TRIANGLE CLUB

Fee Weekly: \$200 Program Member / \$190 Y Family Member

Fee Daily: \$43 Program Member / \$40 Y Family Member

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CLUB

Fee Weekly: \$200 Program Member / \$190 Y Family Member

(Weeks 3–9 only)

Visit ymcaspokane.org/daycamp for details on weekly field trips

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

• Where do I drop off my child?

Central YMCA	6:30-9am in the lobby at the Central Y - Kindergarten/Swim Lessons 6:30-9am at Corbin Park, 401 W Waverly Pl - 1st-8th grades Day Camp swim lesson kids will be transported to Corbin Park after lessons
North YMCA	Under the pavilion at the North Y
South YMCA	Located in Thornton Murphy Park, 3105 E 27th Ave
Valley YMCA	Under the pavilion at the Valley Y

• Do you serve lunch?

The YMCA will be participating in the Summer Food Services Program. We will offer breakfast, lunch and an afternoon snack.

Central Y location lunch is offered Monday through Friday, June 19-Aug 30

North Y location lunch is offered Monday through Friday, June 19-Aug 18

Valley Y* location lunch is offered Monday through Thursday, June 19-Aug 18

*Y Days only

• Do you serve snacks?

Yes we do. We provide a morning snack or meal as part of the Summer Food Services Program and an afternoon snack. Our snacks follow USDA guidelines for health and nutrition.

• What types of trainings and clearances do your staff have?

All staff submit background clearances through WSP and DEL.

Staff are certified in CPR/First Aid and BBP.

Ongoing trainings include safety, activity planning, building relationships and positive communication.

• What if I need to cancel a week/day?

Canceling is easy, just submit your cancellation in writing to our sign in desk or via email to ymca@ymcaspokane.org, please remember to cancel by Wednesday prior to camp.

Cancellations will result in a \$10 administrative fee.

• Can my child bring electronics to camp?

No, we ask that children not bring electronics or cell phones to camp, our goal is to provide a true camp experience and to unplug. If electronics are used as part of an activity we will provide them. We also prefer children not bring personal cell phones as we are unable to monitor texting and web browsing. If you have any questions regarding cell phones please contact your Program Director.

• Where do you go swimming and are there lifeguards?

We swim at various locations, including the YMCA, City & County Pools and area lakes. There are certified lifeguards at all locations where we swim.

• Do I have to drop my child off at 6:30am?

No you can drop off anytime between 6:30–9am, for safety and to maintain child/staff licensing ratios we ask that all children be dropped off by 9am at the latest. Due to staff/child ratios during field trips we may not be able to accept children dropped off after 9am.

• What time can I pick up my child?

We prefer you pick your child up after 4pm so they may participate in all the daily activities. If you need to pick up earlier in the day and we are offsite you may pick up directly from the field trip location. Busses return from field trips at 4pm unless otherwise noted.

• Why do I need to bring an immunization form?

We are required by Washington State DEL to have an immunization form on file for every child who attends camp.



The YMCA also offers:



Youth Sports Camps

**Camp Reed: Overnight
Camps & Family Camp**



**Camp Goodtimes at
Camp Reed**

Please visit ymcaspokane.org or campreed.org for details



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930 N Monroe
Spokane WA 99201

NORTH SPOKANE YMCA
10727 N Newport Hwy
Spokane WA 99218

SOUTH SPOKANE YMCA
2921 E 57th
Spokane WA 99223

SPOKANE VALLEY YMCA
2421 N Discovery Pl
Spokane Valley WA 99216